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Seventy-second Calendar Day - Fifty-first Session Day

Hall of the House of Representatives Des Moines, Iowa, Tuesday, March 25, 2003

The House met pursuant to adjournment at 8:45 a.m., Speaker Rants in the chair.

The Lord's Prayer was sung by Godz Guys from Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, Urbandale. They were the guests of Representative Scott Raecker of Polk County.

The Journal of Monday, March 24, 2003 was approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Speaker Rants.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

<u>House File 658</u>, by Alons, Huseman, Hahn, Roberts, Lalk, De Boef, Tymeson, Horbach, S. Olson, Manternach, Kurtenbach, Kramer, Paulsen, Dennis, and Baudler, a bill for an act relating to the deduction of the capital gain from the sale of capital investments made in or by certain businesses and including an applicability date provision.

Read first time and referred to committee on ways and means.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Mr. Speaker: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has on March 24, 2003, passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House is asked:

<u>Senate File 297</u>, a bill for an act relating to the regulation of snowmobiles and all-terrain vehicles, establishing fees, providing penalties, and providing applicability dates.

Also: That the Senate has on March 24, 2003, passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House is asked:

<u>Senate File 341</u>, a bill for an act regulating the balance of competitive forces in swine and beef production by enhancing the welfare of the farming community and by preventing processors from gaining control of beef or swine production, providing for the transfer of provisions, making a penalty applicable, and providing for an effective date.

Also: That the Senate has on March 24, 2003, passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House is asked:

<u>Senate File 366</u>, a bill for an act relating to the Iowa probate code, including provisions relating to state inheritance, gift taxes, and trusts and including an applicability date provision.

Also: That the Senate has on March 24, 2003, passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House is asked:

<u>Senate File 394</u>, a bill for an act relating to the regulation of the grain industry, and making penalties applicable.

Also: That the Senate has on March 24, 2003, passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House is asked:

<u>Senate File 395</u>, a bill for an act relating to assistance services provided to the department of agriculture and land stewardship, including for the filing of documents and the payment of fees and civil penalties, and the authorization to assess additional charges.

MICHAEL E. MARSHALL, Secretary

The House stood at ease at 8:50 a.m., until the fall of the gavel.

The House resumed session at 10:13 a.m., Klemme of Plymouth in the chair.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Leave of absence was granted as follows:

Foege of Linn on request of Bukta of Clinton.

SENATE MESSAGES CONSIDERED

Senate File 297, by committee on transportation, a bill for an act relating to the regulation of snowmobiles and all-terrain vehicles,

establishing fees, providing penalties, and providing applicability dates.

Read first time and referred to committee on natural resources.

<u>Senate File 341</u>, by committee on agriculture, a bill for an act regulating the balance of competitive forces in swine and beef production by enhancing the welfare of the farming community and by preventing processors from gaining control of beef or swine production, providing for the transfer of provisions, making a penalty applicable, and providing for an effective date.

Read first time and referred to committee on agriculture.

<u>Senate File 366</u>, by committee on judiciary, a bill for an act relating to the Iowa probate code, including provisions relating to state inheritance, gift taxes, and trusts and including an applicability date provision.

Read first time and passed on file.

<u>Senate File 394</u>, by committee on agriculture, a bill for an act relating to the regulation of the grain industry, and making penalties applicable.

Read first time and referred to committee on agriculture.

<u>Senate File 395</u>, by committee on agriculture, a bill for an act relating to assistance services provided to the department of agriculture and land stewardship, including for the filing of documents and the payment of fees and civil penalties, and the authorization to assess additional charges.

Read first time and referred to committee on agriculture

QUORUM CALL

A non-record roll call was requested to determine that a quorum was present. The vote revealed seventy-five members present, twenty-five absent.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Leave of absence was granted as follows:

Hansen of Pottawattamie on request of Gipp of Winneshiek.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS Unfinished Business Calendar

House File 614, a bill for an act relating to elections and voter registration by implementing requirements of federal law, modifying closing hours of the polls and voter identification requirements, transferring duties relating to conduct of elections and voter registration from the office of secretary of state to the Iowa ethics and campaign disclosure board, and making changes relating to absentee voting procedures, including request and delivery of absentee ballot applications, delivery of absentee ballots to the voter, and delivery of completed absentee ballots to the county commissioner of elections, and including effective date provisions, was taken up for consideration.

Mascher of Johnson offered the following amendment <u>H-1123</u> filed by Mascher, et al., and moved its adoption:

H-1123

- 1 Amend <u>House File 614</u> as follows:
- 2 1. By striking everything after the enacting
- 3 clause and inserting the following:
- 4 "Section 1. Section 47.1, Code 2003, is amended by
- 5 adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:
- 6 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. The state commissioner
- 7 shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter 17A, for the
- 8 implementation of uniform and nondiscriminatory
- $9\quad administrative\ complaint\ procedures\ for\ resolution\ of$
- 10 grievances relating to violations of Title III of Pub.
- 11 L. No. 107-252.
- 12 Sec. 2. Section 47.7, subsections 2, 3, and 4,
- 13 Code 2003, are amended by striking the subsections and
- 14 inserting in lieu thereof the following:
- 15 2. a. On or before January 1, 2004, or on or
- 16 before January 1, 2006, if a waiver is granted
- 17 pursuant to section 303(d) of Pub. L. No. 107-252, the
- 18 state registrar of voters shall implement in a uniform
- 19 and nondiscriminatory manner, a single, uniform,
- 20 official, centralized, interactive computerized

- 21 statewide voter registration file defined, maintained,
- 22 and administered at the state level that contains the
- 23 name and registration information of every legally
- 24 registered voter in the state and assigns a unique
- 25 identifier to each legally registered voter in the
- 26 state. The state voter registration system shall be
- 27 coordinated with other agency databases within the
- 28 state, including, but not limited to, the department
- 29 of transportation driver's license records, judicial
- 30 records of convicted felons and persons declared
- 31 incompetent to vote, and department of public health
- 32 records of deceased persons.
- b. On or after the deadline established in
- 34 paragraph "a", a county shall not establish or
- maintain a voter registration system separate from the 36 state voter registration system. Each county shall
- provide to the state registrar the names, voter 37
- 38 registration information, and voting history of each
- 39 registered voter in the county in the form required by
- 40 the state registrar.
- c. A state or local election official may obtain
- 42 immediate electronic access to the information
- 43 contained in the computerized voter registration file.
- 44 All voter registration information obtained by a local
- 45 election official shall be electronically entered into
- 46 the computerized voter registration file on an
- expedited basis at the time the information is
- provided to the local election official. The state
- 49 registrar shall provide such support as may be
- 50 required to enable local election officials to

- electronically enter the information into the
- computerized voter registration file on an expedited
- basis. The list generated from the computerized file
- 4 shall serve as the official voter registration list
- 5 for the conduct of all elections for federal office in
- 6 the state.
- d. The state registrar shall prescribe by rule the 7
- procedures for access to the state voter registration
- file, security requirements, and access protocols for
- 10 adding, changing, or deleting information from the
- state voter registration file.
- Sec. 3. Section 48A.8, Code 2003, is amended to 12
- 13 read as follows:
- 48A.8 REGISTRATION BY MAIL.
- 15 1. An eligible elector may register to vote by
- 16 completing a mail registration form. The form may be
- 17 mailed or delivered by the registrant or the
- 18 registrant's designee to the commissioner in the
- 19 county where the person resides. A separate

- 20 registration form shall be signed by each individual
- 21 registrant.
- 22 2. An eligible elector who registers by mail and
- 23 who has not previously voted in an election for
- 24 federal office in the county of registration shall be
- 25 required to provide identification documents when
- 26 voting for the first time in the county, unless the
- 27 registrant provided on the registration form the
- 28 registrant's Iowa driver's license number or the last
- 29 four numerals of the registrant's social security
- 30 number and the driver's license or partial social
- 31 security number matches an existing state or federal
- 32 identification record with the same social security
- 33 <u>number or Iowa driver's license number and name</u>,
- 34 including first name and any family forename or
- 35 surname, and date of birth, including month, date, and
- 36 year. If the registrant under this subsection votes
- 37 in person at the polls, or by absentee ballot at the
- 38 commissioner's office or at a satellite voting
- 39 station, the registrant shall provide a current and
- 40 valid photo identification card, or shall present to
- 41 the appropriate election official one of the following
- 42 current documents that show the name and address of
- 43 the registrant:
- 44 a. Utility bill.
- 45 b. Bank statement.
- 46 c. Government check.
- 47 d. Other government document.
- 48 3. If the registrant under subsection 2 votes an
- 49 absentee ballot by mail, the registrant shall provide
- 50 a photocopy of one of the documents listed in

- 1 <u>subsection 2 when returning the absentee ballot.</u>
- 2 4. A registrant under subsection 2 who is required
- 3 to present identification when casting a ballot in
- 4 person shall be permitted to vote a provisional ballot
- 5 if the voter does not provide the required
- 6 identification documents. If a voter who is required
- 7 <u>to present identification when casting a ballot votes</u>
- 8 an absentee ballot by mail, the ballot returned by the
- 9 voter shall be considered a provisional ballot
- 10 pursuant to sections 49.81 and 53.31.
- 11 Sec. 4. Section 48A.11, subsection 1, paragraph b,
- 12 Code 2003, is amended to read as follows:
- 13 b. The registrant's name, including first name and
- 14 any family forename or surname.
- 15 Sec. 5. Section 48A.11, subsection 1, paragraph e,
- 16 Code 2003, is amended by striking the paragraph and
- 17 inserting in lieu thereof, the following:
- 18 e. Iowa driver's license number, if the registrant

- 19 has a current and valid Iowa driver's license, or the
- 20 last four numerals of the registrant's social security
- 21 number. If the registrant does not have either an
- 22 Iowa driver's license number or a social security
- 23 number, the form shall provide space for a number to
- 24 be assigned as provided in subsection 7.
- 25 Sec. 6. Section 48A.11, subsection 1, paragraph f,
- 26 Code 2003, is amended to read as follows:
- 27 f. Date of birth, including month, date, and year.
- 28 Sec. 7. Section 48A.11, subsection 1, paragraph i,
- 29 Code 2003, is amended to read as follows:
- 30 i. Political party registration, if any.
- 31 Sec. 8. Section 48A.11, subsection 2, is amended
- 32 by adding the following new paragraph:
- 33 NEW PARAGRAPH. c. The following questions and
- 34 statement regarding eligibility:
- 35 (1) Are you a citizen of the United States of
- 36 America?
- 37 (2) Will you be eighteen years of age on or before
- 38 election day?
- 39 (3) If you checked "no" in response to either of
- 40 these questions, do not complete this form.
- 41 Sec. 9. Section 48A.11, subsection 5, Code 2003,
- 42 is amended to read as follows:
- 43 5. All forms for voter registration shall be
- 44 prescribed by rule adopted by the state voter
- 45 registration commission.
- 46 Sec. 10. Section 48A.11, Code 2003, is amended by
- 47 adding the following new subsection:
- 48 NEW SUBSECTION. 7. A voter registration
- 49 application lacking the registrant's name, sex, date
- 50 of birth, or residence address or description shall

- 1 not be processed. If the registrant answered "no" or
- 2 did not answer either "yes" or "no" to the question in
- 3 subsection 2, paragraph "c", subparagraph (1), the
- 4 application shall not be processed. A registrant
- 5 whose registration is not processed pursuant to this
- 6 subsection shall be notified pursuant to section
- 7 48A.26, subsection 3. A registrant who does not have
- 8 either an Iowa driver's license number or a social
- 9 security number and who notifies the registrar of such
- 10 shall be assigned a unique identifying number that
- 11 shall serve to identify the registrant for voter
- 12 registration purposes.
- 13 Sec. 11. <u>NEW SECTION</u>. 48A.25A VERIFICATION OF
- 14 VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION.
- 15 Upon receipt of an application for voter
- 16 registration, the state registrar of voters shall
- 17 compare the driver's license number or the last four

- 18 numerals of the social security number provided by the
- 19 registrant with the records of the state department of
- 20 transportation. If the information cannot be
- 21 verified, the application shall be rejected and the
- 22 registrant shall be notified of the reason for the
- 23 rejection. If the information can be verified, a
- 24 record shall be made of the source used for
- 25 verification and the application shall be accepted.
- 26 This section does not apply to persons entitled to
- 27 register to vote and to vote pursuant to section
- 28 48A.5, subsection 4.
- 29 Sec. 12. Section 48A.26, subsection 3, Code 2003,
- 30 is amended to read as follows:
- 31 3. If the registration form is missing required
- 32 information pursuant to section 48A.11, subsection 7,
- 33 the acknowledgment shall advise the applicant what
- 34 additional information is required. The commissioner
- 35 shall enclose a new registration by mail form for the
- 36 applicant to use. If the registration form has no
- 37 address, the commissioner shall make a reasonable
- 38 effort to determine where the acknowledgment should be
- 39 sent. If the incomplete application is received
- 40 during the twelve days before the close of
- 41 registration for an election, the commissioner shall
- 42 provide the registrant with an opportunity to complete
- 43 the form before the close of registration.
- 44 Sec. 13. Section 48A.28, subsection 2, unnumbered
- 45 paragraph 2, Code 2003, is amended to read as follows:
- 46 A commissioner participating in the national change
- 47 of address program, in the first quarter of each
- 48 calendar year, shall send a notice and preaddressed,
- 49 postage paid return card by forwardable mail to each
- 50 registered voter whose name was not reported by the

- 1 national change of address program and who has not
- 2 voted, in two or more consecutive general elections
- 3 and has not registered again, or who has not reported
- 4 a change to an existing registration, or who has not
- 5 responded to a notice from the commissioner or
- 6 <u>registrar</u> during the preceding four calendar years
- 7 period between and following the previous two general
- 8 <u>elections</u>. The form and language of the notice and
- 9 return card shall be specified by the state voter
- 10 registration commission by rule. A registered voter
- 11 shall not be sent a notice and return card under this
- 12 subsection more frequently than once in a four-year
- 13 period.
- 14 Sec. 14. Section 48A.36, subsection 2, Code 2003,
- 15 is amended to read as follows:
- 16 2. Upon receipt of electronic registration data

- 17 under subsection 1, the state registrar of voters may
- 18 shall cause the updating of registration records for
- 19 registrants in counties which have arranged for data
- 20 processing services under section 47.7, subsection 2.
- 21 The registrar shall notify the appropriate
- 22 commissioner of the actions taken.
- 23 Sec. 15. Section 48A.38, subsection 1, paragraph
- 24 f, Code 2003, is amended to read as follows:
- 25 f. The county commissioner of registration and the
- 26 state registrar of voters shall remove a voter's
- 27 social security number and driver's license number
- 28 from a voter registration list prepared pursuant to
- 29 this section.
- 30 Sec. 16. Section 49.44, unnumbered paragraph 2,
- 31 Code 2003, is amended by striking the paragraph.
 - 2 Sec. 17. Section 49.68, Code 2003, is amended to
- 33 read as follows:
- 34 49.68 STATE COMMISSIONER TO FURNISH INSTRUCTIONS.
- 35 The state commissioner with the approval of the
- 36 attorney general shall prepare, and from time to time
- 37 revise, written instructions to the voters relative to
- 38 voting, and shall furnish each commissioner with
- 39 copies of the instructions. Such One set of
- 40 instructions, which shall be known as instructions for
- 41 marking ballots, shall cover the manner of marking
- 42 ballots. Another set of instructions, which shall be
- 43 known as the Iowa voter bill of rights, shall cover
- 44 the following matters:
- 45 1. The manner of obtaining ballots.
- 46 2. The manner of marking ballots.
- 47 3. 2. That unmarked or improperly marked ballots
- 48 will not be counted.
- 49 4. 3. The method of gaining assistance in marking
- 50 ballots.

- 1 5. 4. That any erasures or identification marks,
- 2 or otherwise spoiling or defacing a ballot, will
- 3 render it invalid.
- 4 6. 5. Not to vote a spoiled or defaced ballot.
- 5 7. 6. How to obtain a new ballot in place of a
- ${\bf 6} \quad \text{ spoiled or defaced one.}$
- How to cast a provisional ballot.
- 8 8. Instructions for first-time voters who
- registered by mail pursuant to section 48A.8.
- 10 9. The appropriate official to contact if the
- 11 voter believes the voter's rights have been violated.
- 12 10. Polling place hours and the date of the
- 13 election.
- 14 11. Information about federal and state laws
- 15 prohibiting fraud and misrepresentation.

- 16 8. 12. Any other matters thought determined 17 necessary. 18 Sec. 18. Section 49.70, Code 2003, is amended to 19 read as follows: 49.70 PRECINCT ELECTION OFFICIALS FURNISHED 21 INSTRUCTIONS. The commissioner shall cause copies of the 23 foregoing each set of instructions to be printed in 24 large, clear type, under the heading headings of Iowa voter bill of rights and "Instructions instructions 26 for Voters marking ballots-, and shall furnish the 27 precinct election officials with a sufficient number 28 of such each set of instructions as will enable them 29 to comply with section 49.71. Sec. 19. Section 49.71, Code 2003, is amended to
- 31 read as follows:
- 49.71 POSTING INSTRUCTION CARDS AND SAMPLE 32
- 33 BALLOTS.
- 34 The precinct election officials, before the opening
- 35 of the polls, shall cause said cards securely post
- each set of instructions to be securely posted as
- 37 follows:
- 1. One copy of instructions for marking ballots in 38
- 39 each voting booth.
- 2. Not less than four copies of each set, with an 40
- 41 equal number of sample ballots, in and about the
- polling place.
- Sec. 20. Section 49.81, Code 2003, is amended to 43
- 44 read as follows:
- 49.81 PROCEDURE FOR CHALLENGED VOTER TO CAST
- 46 PROVISIONAL BALLOT.
- 47 1. A prospective voter who is prohibited under
- 48 section 48A.8, subsection 4, section 49.77, subsection
- 4, or section 49.80 from voting except under this
- 50 section shall be permitted to notified by the

- appropriate precinct election official that the voter
- may cast a paper provisional ballot. If a booth
- meeting the requirement of section 49.25 is not
- 4 available at that polling place, the precinct election
- 5 officials shall make alternative arrangements to
- 6 insure the challenged voter the opportunity to vote in
- secret. The marked ballot, folded as required by
- section 49.84, shall be delivered to a precinct
- election official who shall immediately seal it in an
- 10 envelope of the type prescribed by subsection 4. The
- sealed envelope shall be deposited in a special an
- 12 envelope marked "ballots for special precinct
- "provisional ballots" and shall be considered as 13
- 14 having been cast in the special precinct established

15	by section 53.20 for purposes of the postelection
16	canvass.
17	2. Each person who casts a special provisional
18	ballot under this section shall receive a printed
19	statement in substantially the following form:
20	Your qualifications as a registered voter have been
21	challenged for the following reasons:
22	I
23	II
24	III
25	Your right to vote will be reviewed by the special
26	precinct counting board on You have the right
27	and are encouraged to make a written statement and
28	submit additional written evidence to this board
29	supporting your qualifications as a registered voter.
30	This written statement and evidence may be given to an
31	election official of this precinct on election day or
32	mailed or delivered to the county commissioner of
33	elections, but must be received before a.m./p.m.
34	on at If your ballot is not counted you
35	will receive, by mail, notification of this fact and
36	the reason that the ballot was not counted.
37	3. Any elector may present written statements or
38	documents, supporting or opposing the counting of any
39	special provisional ballot, to the precinct election
40	officials on election day, until the hour for closing
41	the polls. Any statements or documents so presented
42	shall be delivered to the commissioner when the
43	election supplies are returned.
44	4. The individual envelopes used for each paper
45	provisional ballot cast pursuant to subsection 1 shall
46	have printed on them the format of the face of the
47	registration form under section 48A.8 and the
48	following:
49	I believe I am a registered voter of this precinct
50	county and I am eligible to vote in this election. I
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1	registered to vote in county on or about
2	at My name at that time was I have not
3	moved to a different county since that time. I am a
4	United States citizen, at least eighteen years of age.
5	(1)
6	(signature of voter) (date)
7	The following information is to be provided by the
8 9	precinct election official:
9 10	Reason for challenge:
11	
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14 election official) Sec. 21. Section 50.20, Code 2003, is amended to 16 read as follows: 50.20 NOTICE OF NUMBER OF SPECIAL PROVISIONAL 17 18 BALLOTS. The commissioner shall compile a list of the number 19 20 of special provisional ballots cast under section 21 49.81 in each precinct. The list shall be made 22 available to the public as soon as possible, but in no case later than nine o'clock a.m. on the second day 24 following the election. Any elector may examine the 25 list during normal office hours, and may also examine 26 the affidavit envelopes bearing the ballots of 27 challenged electors until the reconvening of the 28 special precinct board as required by this chapter. 29 Only those persons so permitted by section 53.23, 30 subsection 4, shall have access to the affidavits 31 while that board is in session. Any elector may 32 present written statements or documents, supporting or opposing the counting of any special ballot, at the commissioner's office until the reconvening of the 35 special precinct board. Sec. 22. Section 50.21, unnumbered paragraph 2, Code 2003, is amended to read as follows: 38 If no special provisional ballots were cast in the county pursuant to section 49.81 at any election, the 40 special precinct election board need not be so 41 reconvened. If the number of special provisional 42 ballots so cast at any election is not sufficient to 43 require reconvening of the entire election board of 44 the special precinct, the commissioner may reconvene only the number of members required. If the number of 46 special provisional ballots cast at any election 47 exceeds the number of absentee ballots cast, the size 48 of the special precinct election board may be 49 increased at the commissioner's discretion. The commissioner shall observe the requirements of

- 1 sections 49.12 and 49.13 in making adjustments to the
- 2 size of the special precinct election board.
- 3 Sec. 23. Section 52.1, subsection 2, paragraph h,
- $4\quad \ \ Code\ 2003, is\ amended\ to\ read\ as\ follows:$
- 5 h. "Voting machine" means a mechanical or an
- 6 electronic device, meeting the requirements of section
- 7 52.7, designated for use in casting, registering,
- 8 recording, and counting votes at an election.
- 9 Sec. 24. Section 52.2, Code 2003, is amended to
- 10 read as follows:
- 11 52.2 PURCHASE.
- 12 The board of supervisors of any county may, by a

- $13\,\,$ majority vote, authorize, purchase, and order the use
- 14 of either voting machines or an electronic voting
- 15 system in any one or more voting precincts within said
- 16 the county until otherwise ordered by said the board
- 17 of supervisors. Voting machines and an electronic
- 18 voting system may be used concurrently at different
- 19 precincts within any county, but not at the same
- 20 precinct.
- 21 The state commissioner may provide voting machines
- 22 or electronic voting systems to a county to replace
- 23 lever voting machines in use in the county in order to
- 24 comply with Pub. L. No. 107-252, the Help America
- 25 Vote Act of 2002.
- 26 Sec. 25. Section 52.9, unnumbered paragraph 4,
- 27 Code 2003, is amended by striking the paragraph.
- 28 Sec. 26. Section 52.10, Code 2003, is amended to
- 29 read as follows:
- 30 52.10 BALLOTS FORM.
- 31 All ballots shall be printed in black ink on clear,
- 32 white material, of such size as will fit the ballot
- 33 frame, and presented in as plain, clear type as the
- 34 space will reasonably permit. The party name for each
- 35 political party represented on the machine shall be
- 36 prefixed to the list of candidates of such party. The
- 37 order of the list of candidates of the several parties
- 38 or organizations shall be arranged as provided in
- 39 sections 49.30 to 49.42A, except that the lists may be
- 40 arranged in horizontal rows or vertical columns to
- 41 meet the physical requirements of the voting machine
- 42 used. The offices, candidates, judges, and public
- 43 measures to be voted upon, using the voting machine,
- 44 shall be arranged as required by chapters 43 and 49.
- 45 Sec. 27. Section 52.12, Code 2003, is amended to
- 46 read as follows:
- 47 52.12 EXCEPTION STRAIGHT PARTY VOTING.
- 48 Voting machines shall have a single lever or switch
- 49 voting target which casts a vote for each candidate of
- 50 a political party or nonparty political organization

- 1 which has nominated candidates for more than one
- 2 partisan office on the ballot. Straight party voting
- 3 shall be provided for all general elections.
- 4 Sec. 28. Section 52.16, Code 2003, is amended to
- 5 read as follows:
- 6 52.16 DUTIES OF ELECTION OFFICERS INDEPENDENT
- 7 BALLOTS.
- 8 The election board of each precinct in which votes
- 9 are to be cast by machine shall meet at the precinct
- 10 polling place, at least one hour before the time set
- 11 for the opening of the polls at each election, and

- 12 shall proceed to arrange the furniture, stationery,
- 13 and voting machine for the conduct of the election.
- 14 The board shall cause at least two instruction cards
- 15 four sets of instructions to be posted conspicuously
- 16 within the polling place. If not previously done,
- 17 they shall arrange, in their proper place on the
- 18 voting machine, the ballots containing the names of
- 19 the offices to be filled at the election, and the
- 20 names of the candidates nominated. If not previously
- 21 done, the machine shall be so arranged as to show that
- 22 no vote has been cast, and shall not be thereafter
- 23 operated, except by electors in voting.
- 24 Before the polls are open for election, the board
- 25 shall carefully examine every machine and see that no
- 26 vote has been cast, and the machines are subject to
- 27 inspection of the election officers. If the voting
- 28 machine is equipped to produce a printed record
- 29 showing the status of the counters, this record shall
- 30 be produced by the precinct election officials
- 31 immediately Immediately before the polls are open, the
- 32 precinct election officials shall print a report from
- 33 each machine showing that the counter is set at zero.
- 34 The inspection sheets reports from each machine used
- 35 in the election shall be available for examination
- 36 throughout election day.
- 37 Ballots voted for any person whose name does not
- 38 appear on the machine as a nominated candidate for
- 39 office, are referred to in this section as independent
- 40 ballots. When two or more persons are to be elected
- 41 to the same office, and the machine requires that all
- 42 independent ballots voted for that office be deposited
- 42 independent panots voted for that office be deposited
- 43 in a single receptacle or device, an elector may vote
- 44 in or by the receptacle or device for one or more
- 45 persons whose names do not appear upon the machine
- 46 with or without the names of one or more persons whose
- 47 names do so appear. With that exception, and except
- 48 for presidential electors, no independent ballot shall 49 be voted for any person for any office whose name
- 50 appears on the machine as a nominated candidate for

- 1 that office: any independent ballot so voted shall not
- 2 be counted. An independent ballot must be cast in its
- 3 appropriate place on the machine, or it shall be void
- 4 and not counted.
- 5 Sec. 29. Section 52.17, Code 2003, is amended to
- 6 read as follows:
- 7 52.17 VOTING MACHINE IN PLAIN VIEW.
- 8 The exterior of the voting machine and every part
- 9 of the polling place shall be in plain view of the
- 10 election officers. The voting machine shall be placed

11 at least three feet from every wall and partition of 12 the polling place, and at least four feet from the 13 precinct election officials' table. Sec. 30. Section 52.20, Code 2003, is amended to 14 15 read as follows: 52.20 INJURY TO MACHINE. 16 No A voter, or other person, shall not deface or 17 18 injure the voting machine or the ballot thereon. It shall be the duty of the precinct election officials 20 to enforce the provisions of this section. During the entire period of an election, at least one of their 21 22 number the officials, designated by them the officials 23 from time to time, shall be stationed beside the 24 entrance to the booth and shall see that it is properly closed after a voter has entered it to vote. 25 26 The official shall also, at such intervals as the 27 official may deem proper or necessary, examine the 28 face of the machine to ascertain whether it has been defaced or injured, to detect the wrongdoer, and to 30 repair any injury. If the official finds that a person has left the voting booth without casting the ballot, the official shall cast the ballot. 32 33 Sec. 31. Section 52.21, Code 2003, is amended by striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the 34 35 following: 52.21 CANVASS OF VOTE - TALLY. 36 37 As soon as the polls of the election are closed, 38 the precinct election officials shall immediately lock the voting machine against voting and, in the presence 40 of all persons who may be lawfully within the polling 41 place, proceed to canvass the vote. The officials shall print the results from each machine, tally any 43 write-in votes, and complete any canvass documents 44 prescribed for the voting machine by the state 45 commissioner. Write-in votes cast for a person whose 46 name appears on the ballot as a candidate for that 47 office shall not be counted.

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machine used in the election and one copy of the

Code 2003, is amended to read as follows:

printed results from each machine shall be signed by

Sec. 32. Section 52.23, unnumbered paragraph 2,

The inspection sheets zero count report from each

- all precinct election officials and, with any paper or
- papers upon which write-in votes were recorded by
- voters, shall be securely sealed in an envelope marked
- with the name and date of the election, the precinct,
- and the serial numbers of the machines from which the
- enclosed results were removed. This envelope shall be
- preserved, unopened, for twenty-two months following

10 elections for federal offices and for six months 11 following elections for all other offices unless a 12 recount is requested pursuant to section 50.48 or an election contest is pending. The envelope shall be destroyed in the same manner as ballots pursuant to 15 section 50.13. Additional copies At least one 16 additional copy of the results, if any, shall be signed by the officials and delivered to the 17 commissioner with the other supplies from the election pursuant to section 50.17. Sec. 33. Section 52.25, unnumbered paragraph 2, 20 21 Code 2003, is amended to read as follows: The entire convention question, amendment or public 23 measure shall be printed and displayed prominently in at least four places within the voting precinct, and inside each voting booth, or on the left hand side 26 inside the curtain of each voting machine, the 27 printing to be in conformity with the provisions of 28 chapter 49. The public measure shall be summarized by the commissioner and in the largest type possible printed on the special paper ballots or inserts used 31 in the voting machines, except that: Sec. 34. NEW SECTION. 53.37A STATE COMMISSIONER 32 33 DUTIES. 34 The state commissioner of elections shall provide 35 information regarding voter registration procedures and absentee ballot procedures to be used by members 37 of the armed forces of the United States. The state 38 commissioner shall accept valid voter registration 39 applications and absentee ballot applications and shall forward the applications to the appropriate county commissioner of elections in a timely manner. 42 Sec. 35. Section 53.40, unnumbered paragraph 1, 43 Code 2003, is amended to read as follows: A request in writing for a ballot may be made by 45 any member of the armed forces of the United States who is or will be a qualified voter on the day of the election at which the ballot is to be cast, at any

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1 through the next two general elections. The request

48 time before the election. Any member of the armed
 49 forces of the United States may request ballots for
 50 all elections to be held within a calendar year

- 2 may be made by using the federal postcard application
- 3 form and indicating that the applicant wishes to
- 4 receive ballots for all elections as permitted by
- 5 state law. The county commissioner shall send the
- 6 applicant a ballot for each election held during the
- 7 calendar year in which after the application is
- 8 received and through the next two general elections.

- 9 The commissioner shall forward a copy of the absentee 10 ballot request to other commissioners who are
- 11 responsible under section 47.2, subsection 2, for
- 12 conducting elections in which the applicant is
- 13 eligible to vote.
- 14 Sec. 36. Section 53.53, Code 2003, is amended by
- 15 adding the following new unnumbered paragraphs:
- 16 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. A federal write-in
- 17 ballot received by the state commissioner of elections
- 18 shall be forwarded immediately to the appropriate
- 19 county commissioner. However, if the state
- 20 commissioner receives a federal write-in ballot after
- 21 election day and before noon on the Monday following
- 22 an election, the state commissioner shall at once
- 23 verify that the voter has complied with the
- 24 requirements of this section and that the voter's
- 25 federal write-in ballot is eligible to be counted. If
- 26 the ballot is eligible to be counted, the state
- 27 commissioner shall notify the appropriate county
- 28 commissioner and make arrangements for the ballot to
- 29 be transmitted to the county for counting. If the
- 30 ballot is not eligible to be counted, the state
- 31 commissioner shall mail the ballot to the appropriate
- 32 commissioner along with notification that the ballot
- 33 is ineligible to be counted. The county commissioner
- 34 shall keep the ballot with the other records of the
- 35 election.
- 36 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. The county commissioner
- 37 shall notify a voter when the voter's federal write-in
- 38 ballot was not counted and shall give the voter the
- 39 reason the ballot was not counted.
- 40 Sec. 37. Sections 49.35, 52.11, 52.14, and 52.22,
- 41 Code 2003, are repealed.
- 42 Sec. 38. EFFECTIVE DATES.
- 43 1. The sections of this Act enacting new Code
- 44 section 48A.25A and amending Code sections 48A.26,
- 45 48A.36, 49.68, 49.70, 49.71, and that portion of
- 46 section 52.16 relating to voter instructions only,
- 47 take effect January 1, 2004, or January 1, 2006, if a
- 48 waiver is granted pursuant to section 303(d) of Pub.
- 49 L. No. 107-252.
- 50 2. The sections of this Act amending sections

- 1 52.1, 52.9, 52.10, 52.12, 52.16, 52.17, 52.20, 52.21,
- 2 and 52.25, and the sections of this Act repealing
- 3 sections 52.11, 52.14, and 52.22, take effect January
- 4 1, 2004, or January 1, 2006, if a waiver is granted
- 5 pursuant to section 102(a) of Pub. L. No. 107-252.
- 6 3. The remainder of this Act, being deemed of
- 7 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment."

- 8 2. Title page, by striking lines 2 through ll,
- 9 and inserting the following: "implementing
- 10 requirements of federal law, making corrective changes
- 11 to state election law, and including effective date
- 12 provisions."
- 13 3. By renumbering as necessary.

Roll call was requested by Mascher of Johnson and Myers of Johnson.

On the question "Shall amendment $\underline{\text{H--}1123}$ be adopted?" ($\underline{\text{H.F.}}$ 614)

The ayes were, 45:

Cohoon Bell Berry Bukta Connors Dandekar Davitt Fallon Frevert Gaskill Greimann Ford Heddens Hogg Hunter Huser Jochum Kuhn Lensing Lykam Miller Mascher McCarthy Mertz Myers Oldson Olson, D. Murphy Osterhaus Petersen Quirk Reasoner Stevens Struyk Shoultz Smith Swaim Taylor, D. Taylor, T. Thomas Whitaker Whitead Winckler Wendt Wise

The nays were, 53:

Alons Arnold **Baudler** Boal Boddicker Boggess Carroll Chambers De Boef Dennis Dix Dolecheck Drake Eichhorn Elgin Freeman Greiner Hahn Gipp Granzow Heaton Hoffman Horbach Hanson Huseman Hutter Jacobs Jenkins Kurtenbach Lalk Jones Kramer Lukan Maddox Manternach Olson, S. Paulsen Raecker Rants, Spkr. Rasmussen Rayhons Roberts Sands Schickel **Tiepkes** Tymeson Upmeyer Van Engelenhoven Van Fossen, J.K. Van Fossen, J.R. Watts Wilderdyke

Klemme, Presiding

Absent or not voting, 2:

Foege Hansen

Amendment H-1123 lost.

Gipp of Winneshiek asked and received unanimous consent that House File 614 be deferred and that the bill retain its place on the calendar.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Mr. Speaker: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has on March 25, 2003, passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House is asked:

<u>Senate File 386</u>, a bill for an act requiring the insurance division of the department of commerce to establish a school health insurance reform team study and to make recommendations to the general assembly.

Also: That the Senate has on March 25, 2003, passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House is asked:

<u>Senate File 416</u>, a bill for an act relating to an emergency shelter and support services demonstration project relating to dependent adults.

Also: That the Senate has on March 25, 2003, passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House is asked:

<u>Senate File 425</u>, a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations involving state government, including provisions affecting agriculture and natural resources.

MICHAEL E. MARSHALL, Secretary

On motion by Gipp of Winneshiek, the House was recessed at 11:40 a.m., until 1:00 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 1:02 p.m., Speaker Rants in the chair.

QUORUM CALL

A non-record roll call was requested to determine that a quorum was present. The vote revealed sixty-nine members present, thirty-one absent.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS Unfinished Business Calendar

The House resumed consideration of House File 614, a bill for an act relating to elections and voter registration by implementing requirements of federal law, modifying closing hours of the polls and voter identification requirements, transferring duties relating to conduct of elections and voter registration from the office of secretary of state to the Iowa ethics and campaign disclosure board, and making changes relating to absentee voting procedures, including request and delivery of absentee ballot applications, delivery of absentee ballots to the voter, and delivery of completed absentee ballots to the county commissioner of elections, and including effective date provisions, previously deferred.

Jacobs of Polk offered the following amendment $\underline{H-1121}$ filed by her and moved its adoption:

H-1121

- 1 Amend <u>House File 614</u> as follows:
- 2 1. Page 8, line 31, by inserting after the word
- 3 "or" the following: "described in section 53.16.
- 4 subsection 3, or".
- 2. Page 16, by striking lines 8 through 22, and
- 6 inserting the following:
- 7 "53.16 SUBSCRIBING TO AFFIDAVIT IDENTIFICATION
- 8 REQUIRED OF CERTAIN VOTERS.
- 9 1. After marking the ballot, the voter shall make
- 10 and subscribe to the affidavit on the reverse side of
- 11 the envelope, and fold the ballot or ballots,
- 12 separately, so as to conceal the markings on them, and
- 13 deposit them in the envelope, and securely seal the
- 14 envelope.
- 15 2. An eligible elector who registers by mail and
- 16 who has not previously voted in an election for
- 17 federal office in the county of registration and who
- 18 is voting an absentee ballot by mail, at the
- 19 commissioner's office, or at a satellite voting
- 20 station, shall be required to provide a form of
- 21 <u>identification described in section 49.77</u>, subsection
- 22 3. unless the registrant provided on the registration
- 23 form the registrant's Iowa driver's license number or
- 24 the last four numerals of the registrant's social
- 25 security number and the driver's license or partial
- 26 social security number matches an existing state or
- 27 federal identification record with the same social

28 security number or Iowa driver's license number and 29 name, including first name and any family forename or 30 surname, and date of birth, including month, date, and 31 <u>year.</u> 32 3. A voter who is required to present 33 identification when casting an absentee ballot in 34 person shall be permitted to vote a provisional ballot 35 pursuant to section 49.81 if the voter does not 36 provide the required identification. If a voter who is required to present identification when casting an 38 absentee ballot votes an absentee ballot by mail, the 39 ballot returned by the voter shall be considered a 40 provisional ballot pursuant to sections 49.81 and 41 53.31." 3. Page 18, line 7, by inserting after the word 42 43 "this" the following: "division of this".44 4. Page 18, line 13, by inserting after the word 45 "this" the following: "division of this". 5. Page 18, line 15, by inserting after the word "this" the following: "division of this". 6. Page 18, line 19, by inserting after the word 49 "this" the following: "division of this".

Amendment H-1121 was adopted.

7. By renumbering as necessary.

Jacobs of Polk offered the following amendment $\underline{H-1146}$ filed by her and moved its adoption:

H-1146

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Amend House File 614 as follows:
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     1. Page 28, by inserting before line 33, the
    following:
     "Sec.___. Section 39A.2, subsection 1, paragraph
    b, Code 2003, is amended by adding the following new
    NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (6) Returns an absentee ballot
    application or voted absentee ballot to the
    commissioner's office and the person is not an
10 immediate family member of the applicant or voter as
11 that term is defined in section 53.1A or is not the
12 designee of a voter described in section 53.22,
13 subsection 5."
    2. Page 28, by inserting before line 33, the
14
15 following:
     "Sec. . NEW SECTION. 53.1A DEFINITIONS.
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     For purposes of this chapter, "immediate family
18 member" of an absentee ballot applicant or absentee
19 ballot voter means the spouse, adult child, parent,
20 grandparent, or adult sibling of the applicant or
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21 voter."
    3. Page 29, line 7, by inserting after the word
23 "office." the following: "The commissioner may make
24 absentee ballot applications available on the
25 commissioner's office internet website.'
    4. Page 29, by striking lines 15 through 19, and
27 inserting the following: "is not required. Absentee
28 ballot".
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    5. Page 29, by striking lines 24 through 27, and

    30 inserting the following: "than the appropriate
    31 commissioner. A completed application for an absentee

32 ballot may be returned only by the applicant, or a
33 member of the applicant's immediate family, or the
34 applicant's designee if the applicant is a voter
   described in section 53.22, subsection 5.
     6. Page 29, by inserting before line 28, the
37 following:
     "Sec.__. Section 53.2, Code 2003, is amended by
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39 adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:
    NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. If an absentee ballot
    application is received by the commissioner more than
    sixty days before the election, the commissioner shall
43 notify the applicant that the applicant must reapply
44 for an absentee ballot no sooner than sixty days
45 before the election."
    7. Page 29, line 34, by inserting after the
47 figure "3." the following: "However, the commissioner
   may mail an absentee ballot to an applicant less than
   seven days before the election if the applicant is a
50 voter described in section 53.22, subsection 5.
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    8. Page 30, line 17, by inserting after the word
    "applicant," the following: "a member of the
    applicant's immediate family.".
    9. Page 30, line 25, by inserting after the word
    "voter," the following: "or a member of the voter's
    immediate family.".
    10. Page 30, line 26, by inserting after the
    figure "53.22." the following: "subsection 5.".
    11. By renumbering as necessary.
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Roll Call was requested by Myers of Johnson and Shoultz of Black Hawk.

On the question "Shall amendment $\underline{H-1146}$ be adopted?" ($\underline{H.F.}$ 614)

The ayes were, 52:

Alons Baudler Boal Arnold Boddicker **Boggess** Carroll Chambers De Boef Dennis Dix Dolecheck Drake Eichhorn Elgin Freeman Gipp Greiner Hahn Hanson Horbach Heaton Hoffman Huseman Hutter Jacobs Jenkins Jones Klemme Kramer Kurtenbach Lalk Lukan Manternach Olson, S. Maddox Paulsen Rayhons Raecker Rasmussen **Roberts** Sands Schickel Tjepkes **Tymeson** Upmeyer Van Engelenhoven Van Fossen, J.K. Van Fossen, J.R. Wilderdyke Mr. Speaker Watts **Rants**

The nays were, 45:

Berry Bell Bukta Cohoon Connors Dandekar Davitt Fallon Ford Frevert Gaskill Granzow Greimann Heddens Hogg Hunter Jochum Kuhn Lensing Lykam Mascher McCarthy Mertz Miller Myers Oldson Olson, D. Murphy Osterhaus Petersen Quirk Reasoner Shoultz Smith Stevens Struyk Taylor, D. Taylor, T. Thomas Swaim Wendt Whitaker Whitead Winckler Wise

Absent or not voting, 3:

Foege Hansen Huser

Amendment H-1146 was adopted.

Jacobs of Polk moved that the bill be read a last time now and placed upon its passage which motion prevailed and the bill was read a last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" (H.F. 614)

The ayes were, 53:

Alons Arnold Baudler Boal Chambers **Boddicker Boggess** Carroll De Boef Dennis Dix **Dolecheck** Drake Eichhorn Elgin Freeman

Gipp	Granzow	Greiner	Hahn
Hanson	Heaton	Hoffman	Horbach
Huseman	Hutter	Jacobs	Jenkins
Jones	Klemme	Kramer	Kurtenbach
Lalk	Lukan	Maddox	Manternach
Olson, S.	Paulsen	Raecker	Rasmussen
Rayhons	Roberts	Sands	Schickel
Tjepkes	Tymeson	Upmeyer	Van Engelenhoven
Van Fossen, J.K.	Van Fossen, J.R.	Watts	Wilderdyke
Mr. Speaker			·
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The nays were, 44:

Bell	Berry	Bukta	Cohoon
Connors	Dandekar	Davitt	Fallon
Ford	Frevert	Gaskill	Greimann
Heddens	Hogg	Hunter	Jochum
Kuhn	Lensing	Lykam	Mascher
McCarthy	Mertz	Miller	Murphy
Myers	Oldson	Olson, D.	Osterhaus
Petersen	Quirk	Reasoner	Shoultz
Smith	Stevens	Struyk	Swaim
Taylor, D.	Taylor, T.	Thomas	Wendt
Whitaker	Whitead	Winckler	Wise

Absent or not voting, 3:

Foege Hansen Huser

The bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the House and the title was agreed to.

IMMEDIATE MESSAGE

Gipp of Winneshiek asked and received unanimous consent that **House File 614** be immediately messaged to the Senate.

Regular Calendar

<u>House File 400</u>, a bill for an act relating to conducting searches of persons on probation or parole and providing information to local law enforcement agencies and the state department of transportation, was taken up for consideration.

Hogg of Linn asked and received unanimous consent that amendments $\underline{H-1085}$, $\underline{H-1086}$, $\underline{H-1040}$ and $\underline{H-1084}$ be deferred.

Eichhorn of Hamilton offered amendment $\underline{H-1092}$ filed by him as follows:

H-1092

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    Amend House File 400 as follows:
    1. Page 1, line 12, by striking the figure
    "906.5A" and inserting the following: "904.1001".
    2. Page 1, line 15, by striking the words "board of parole" and inserting the following: "department".
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Eichhorn of Hamilton offered the following amendment $\underline{H-1151}$, to amendment $\underline{H-1092}$, filed by him from the floor and moved its adoption:

H-1151

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Amend the amendment, H-1092, to House File 400 as
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     1. Page 1, by inserting after line 1 the
    following:
         . Page 1, by striking lines 1 through 11."
     2. Page 1, by striking lines 4 and 5 and
6
    inserting the following:
     "___. Page 1, line 15, by striking the words "The
9 board of parole" and inserting the following: "The
10 department for a person paroled or the judicial
11 district department of correctional services where a
12 person is placed on probation"."
    3. Page 1, by inserting after line 5 the
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14 following:
    "___. Page 1, line 17, by striking the word "and"
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16 and inserting the following: "or placed on probation,
17 and shall notify".
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       _. Page 1, line 18, by inserting before the
19 word "conditions" the following: "any".
     ___. Page 1, lines 18 and 19, by striking the
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21 words "requiring the person to submit to a search as
22 provided in section 906.4 or 907.6" and inserting the
23 following: "which refer to searches of the person or
24 the property of the person".
25
     ___. By striking page 1, line 23, through page 2,
26 line 8.
        . Title page, by striking lines 1 and 2, and
28 inserting the following: "An Act relating to
29 providing probationer and parolee information to local
30 law enforcement"."
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Amendment H-1151 was adopted.

Hogg of Linn asked and received unanimous consent to withdraw amendment $\underline{\text{H-1097}}$, to amendment $\underline{\text{H-1092}}$, filed by him on March 19, 2003.

Hogg of Linn offered the following amendment $\underline{H-1154}$, to amendment $\underline{H-1092}$, filed by him from the floor and moved its adoption:

H-1154

- Amend the amendment, H-1092, to House File 400 as follows:
 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 5 the following:
 "___. Page 1, line 19, by inserting before the word "The" the following: "No condition of release or probation shall provide for a search without a reasonable articulable suspicion of criminal activity.""
 2. By renumbering as necessary.
 - Amendment H-1154 lost.

Hogg of Linn offered the following amendment $\underline{H-1158}$, to amendment $\underline{H-1092}$, filed by him from the floor and moved its adoption:

H-1158

- Amend the amendment, H-1092, to House File 400 as follows:
 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 5 the
 following:
 Page 1, line 22, by inserting after the
 figure "321.11." the following: "The notification
 requirement of this section is contingent upon receipt
 of sufficient funding.""
 By renumbering as necessary.
 - Amendment H-1158 lost.

On motion by Eichhorn of Hamilton amendment $\underline{H-1092}$, as amended, was adopted, placing out of order amendments $\underline{H-1085}$, $\underline{H-1086}$ and $\underline{H-1084}$ filed by Hogg of Linn on March 18, 2003 and amendment $\underline{H-1040}$ filed by Hogg of Linn on March 10, 2003.

Eichhorn of Hamilton moved that the bill be read a last time now and placed upon its passage which motion prevailed and the bill was read a last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" (H.F. 400)

The ayes were, 80:

Bell Alons Arnold **Baudler** Carroll Boal Boddicker Boggess Chambers Cohoon Connors Dandekar De Boef **Davitt** Dennis Dix Dolecheck Drake Eichhorn Elgin Freeman Frevert Gaskill Gipp Granzow Greiner Hahn Hanson Heaton Hoffman Horbach Huseman Huser Hutter Jacobs Jenkins Jochum Kramer Jones Klemme Kurtenbach Lalk Kuhn Lukan Lykam Maddox Manternach McCarthy Mertz Myers Oldson Olson, S. Paulsen Petersen Quirk Raecker Rasmussen Rayhons Reasoner Roberts Schickel Smith Sands Stevens Struyk Swaim Taylor, D. Thomas Upmeyer Van Engelenhoven **Tjepkes Tymeson** Van Fossen, J.K. Van Fossen, J.R. Watts Wendt Whitaker Wilderdyke Wise Mr. Speaker **Rants**

The nays were, 18:

Fallon Ford Berry Bukta Greimann Heddens Hogg Hunter Miller Lensing Mascher Murphy Olson, D. Osterhaus Shoultz Taylor, T. Whitead Winckler

Absent or not voting, 2:

Foege Hansen

The bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the House and the title, as amended, was agreed to.

IMMEDIATE MESSAGE

Jacobs of Polk asked and received unanimous consent that <u>House</u> <u>File 400</u> be immediately messaged to the Senate.

Appropriations Calendar

<u>House File 652</u>, a bill for an act relating to and making transportation and other infrastructure-related appropriations to the state department of transportation, including allocation and use of moneys from the road use tax fund and the primary road fund, and providing for the nonreversion of certain moneys, was taken up for consideration.

Struyk of Pottawattamie offered the following amendment <u>H-1147</u> filed by Struyk, et al., and moved its adoption:

H-1147

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Amend House File 652 as follows:
    1. Page 1, by inserting before line 1 the
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   following:
    "Section 1. There is appropriated from the general
   fund of the state to the state department of
   transportation for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
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   2003, and ending June 30, 2004, the following amounts,
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   or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
   purposes designated:
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   1. For the operation and maintenance of the
11 network of automated weather observation and data
12 transfer systems associated with the Iowa aviation
13 weather system:
15 2. For the runway marking program for public
16 airports:
17 ......$ 100,000
18 3. For the windsock program for public airports:
19 ......$
20 4. For the aviation improvement program:
21 ......$ 278,000"
22 2. Title page, line 4, by inserting after the
23 words "tax fund" the following: ", the general fund
24 of the state,".
   3. By renumbering as necessary.
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Roll call was requested by Struyk of Pottawattamie and Cohoon of Des Moines.

On the question "Shall amendment $\underline{\text{H-}1147}$ be adopted?" ($\underline{\text{H.F.}}$ 652)

The ayes were, 45:

Bell	Berry	Bukta	Cohoon
Connors	Dandekar	Davitt	Fallon
Ford	Frevert	Gaskill	Greimann
Heddens	Hunter	Huser	Jochum
Kuhn	Kurtenbach	Lensing	Lykam
Mascher	McCarthy	Mertz	Miller
Murphy	Myers	Oldson	Olson, D.
Osterhaus	Petersen	Quirk	Reasoner
Shoultz	Smith	Stevens	Struyk
Swaim	Taylor, D.	Taylor, T.	Thomas
Wendt	Whitaker	Whitead	Winckler
Wise			

The nays were, 53:

Alons	Arnold	Baudler	Boal
Boddicker	Boggess	Carroll	Chambers
De Boef	Dennis	Dix	Dolecheck
Drake	Eichhorn	Elgin	Freeman
Gipp	Granzow	Greiner	Hahn
Hanson	Heaton	Hoffman	Hogg
Horbach	Huseman	Hutter	Jacobs
Jenkins	Jones	Klemme	Kramer
Lalk	Lukan	Maddox	Manternach
Olson, S.	Paulsen	Raecker	Rasmussen
Rayhons	Roberts	Sands	Schickel
Tjepkes	Tymeson	Upmeyer	Van Engelenhoven
Van Fossen, J.K.	Van Fossen, J.R.	Watts	Wilderdyke
Mr. Speaker			
Rants			

Absent or not voting, 2:

Foege Hansen

Amendment H-1147 lost.

D. Olson of Boone offered the following amendment $\underline{H-1148}$ filed by D. Olson, et al., and moved its adoption:

H-1148

- 1 Amend <u>House File 652</u> as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, by inserting before line 1 the
- 3 following:
- 4 "Section 1. There is appropriated from the general
- 5 fund of the state to the state department of
- 6 transportation for the fiscal year beginning July 1,

- 2003, and ending June 30, 2004, the following amount,
- or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
- 9 purpose designated:
- 10 For the rail assistance program and to provide
- 11 economic development project funding:
- 13 2. Title page, line 4, by inserting after the
- 14 words "tax fund" the following: ", the general fund
- 15 of the state,".
- 3. By renumbering as necessary.

Roll call was requested by D. Olson of Boone and Cohoon of Des Moines.

On the question "Shall amendment H-1148 be adopted?" (H.F. <u>652</u>)

The ayes were, 45:

Arnold	Bell	Berry	Bukta
Cohoon	Connors	Dandekar	Davitt
Fallon	Ford	Frevert	Gaskill
Greimann	Heddens	Hunter	Huser
Jochum	Kuhn	Lensing	Lykam
Mascher	McCarthy	Mertz	Miller
Murphy	Myers	Oldson	Olson, D.
Osterhaus	Petersen	Quirk	Reasoner
Shoultz	Smith	Stevens	Struyk
Swaim	Taylor, D.	Taylor, T.	Thomas
Wendt	Whitaker	Whitead	Winckler
Wise			

The nays were, 53:

Alons	Baudler	Boal	Boddicker
Boggess	Carroll	Chambers	De Boef
Dennis	Dix	Dolecheck	Drake
Eichhorn	Elgin	Freeman	Gipp
Granzow	Greiner	Hahn	Hanson
Heaton	Hoffman	Hogg	Horbach
Huseman	Hutter	Jacobs	Jenkins
Jones	Klemme	Kramer	Kurtenbach
Lalk	Lukan	Maddox	Manternach
Olson, S.	Paulsen	Raecker	Rasmussen
Rayhons	Roberts	Sands	Schickel
Tjepkes	Tymeson	Upmeyer	Van Engelenhoven
Van Fossen, J.K.	Van Fossen, J.R.	Watts	Wilderdyke
Mr Sneaker			-

Mr. Speaker

Rants

Absent or not voting, 2:

Foege

Hansen

Amendment H-1148 lost.

Murphy of Dubuque asked and received unanimous consent to withdraw amendment $\underline{H-1126}$ filed by him on March 20, 2003, placing out of order amendment $\underline{H-1137}$ filed by Murphy of Dubuque on March 24, 2003.

Murphy of Dubuque offered amendment $\underline{H-1131}$ filed by him as follows:

H-1131

- 1 Amend <u>House File 652</u> as follows:
- 2 1. Page 5, by inserting after line 6 the
- 3 following:
- 4 "Sec.___. CLOSE-CLEARANCE CONDITIONS NEAR
- 5 RAILROAD TRACKS RULES. The state department of
- 6 transportation shall adopt rules regulating close-
- 7 clearance conditions on or near railroad tracks. The
- 8 rules shall include requirements and standards for the
- 9 installation of close-clearance warning devices."
- 10 2. Title page, line 1, by striking the words "and
- 11 making" and inserting the following: "transportation,
- 12 including making".
- 13 3. By renumbering as necessary.

Huseman of Cherokee rose on a point of order that amendment $\underline{\text{H-}1131}$ was not germane.

The Speaker ruled the point well taken and amendment $\underline{\text{H-}1131}$ not germane.

Huseman of Cherokee moved that the bill be read a last time now and placed upon its passage which motion prevailed and the bill was read a last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" (H.F. 652)

The ayes were, 97:

Alons Arnold Baudler Bell Berry Boal Boddicker Boggess

Carroll Bukta Chambers Cohoon Connors Dandekar Davitt De Boef Drake Dennis Dix Dolecheck Elgin Eichhorn Ford Freeman Frevert Gaskill Gipp Granzow Greimann Greiner Hahn Hanson Heddens Hoffman Heaton Hogg Horbach Hunter Huseman Huser Jacobs **Jenkins** Jochum Hutter Klemme Kramer Kuhn Jones Kurtenbach Lalk Lensing Lukan Lykam Maddox Manternach Mascher **McCarthy** Mertz Miller Murphy Myers Oldson Olson, D. Olson, S. Osterhaus Paulsen Petersen Quirk Raecker Rasmussen **Rayhons** Reasoner Schickel Roberts Sands Shoultz Smith Stevens Struyk Swaim Taylor, D. Taylor, T. **Thomas Tjepkes** Van Engelenhoven Van Fossen, J.K. Tymeson Upmeyer Van Fossen, J.R. Watts Wendt Whitaker Wilderdyke Winckler Whitead Wise Mr. Speaker

The nays were, 1:

Fallon

Rants

Absent or not voting, 2:

Foege

The bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the House and the title was agreed to.

IMMEDIATE MESSAGE

Jacobs of Polk asked and received unanimous consent that **House File 652** be immediately messaged to the Senate.

House File 655, a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to certain state departments, agencies, funds, and certain other entities, providing for regulatory authority, and other properly related matters, was taken up for consideration.

Lykam of Scott offered the following amendment H-1138 filed by Lykam, et al., and moved its adoption:

H-1138

1	Amend <u>House File 655</u> as follows:
2	1. Page 1, by striking lines 10 and 11, and
3	inserting the following:
4	"\$ 1,052,565
5	FTEs 100.42"
6	2. Page 1, by striking line 32, and inserting the
7	following:
8	"\$ 380,427"
9	3. Page 11, by striking lines 28 and 29, and
10	
11	
12	FTEs 34.50"
13	4. Page 12, by striking line 12, and inserting
14	the following:
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16	5. Page 13, by striking line 30, and inserting
17	the following:
18	"\$ 1,441,358"
19	6. Page 14, by striking line 17, and inserting
20	the following:
21	" FTEs 29.80"
22	7. Page 22, by striking line 30, and inserting
23	the following:
24	" FTEs 391.19"
25	8. Page 22, by striking line 35, and inserting
26	the following:
27	"\$ 24,001,011"

Amendment H-1138 lost.

Murphy of Dubuque offered the following amendment $\underline{H-1139}$ filed by Murphy, et al., and moved its adoption:

H-1139

Roll call was requested by Murphy of Dubuque and T. Taylor of Linn.

On the question "Shall amendment $\underline{\text{H--}1139}$ be adopted?" ($\underline{\text{H.F.}}$ 655)

The ayes were, 45:

Bell Berry Bukta Cohoon Connors Dandekar Davitt Fallon Frevert Gaskill Greimann Ford Heddens Hogg Hunter Huser Lykam Jochum Kuhn Lensing Mascher McCarthy Mertz Miller Murphy Myers Oldson Olson, D. **Osterhaus** Petersen Quirk Reasoner Shoultz Smith Stevens Struyk Swaim Taylor, D. Taylor, T. Thomas Wendt Whitaker Whitead Winckler Wise

The nays were, 52:

Alons Arnold **Baudler** Boal Boddicker Boggess Carroll Chambers De Boef Dennis Dix Dolecheck Eichhorn Elgin Drake Freeman Greiner Hahn Gipp Granzow Hanson Heaton Hoffman Horbach Jacobs Huseman Hutter Jones Klemme Kramer Kurtenbach Lalk Lukan Maddox Manternach Olson, S. Paulsen Raecker Rasmussen Rayhons Roberts Sands Schickel Tjepkes Van Engelenhoven Tymeson Upmeyer Van Fossen, J.K. Van Fossen, J.R. Wilderdyke Mr. Speaker Watts Rants

Absent or not voting, 3:

Foege Hansen Jenkins

Amendment H-1139 lost.

D. Olson of Boone asked and received unanimous consent to withdraw amendment $\frac{H-1142}{2}$ filed by D. Olson of Boone, et al., on March 24, 2003.

Eichhorn of Hamilton moved that the bill be read a last time now and placed upon its passage which motion prevailed and the bill was read a last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" (H.F. 655)

The ayes were, 54:

Alons Baudler Boal Arnold Boddicker Boggess Carroll Chambers Dolecheck De Boef Dennis Dix Eichhorn Freeman Drake Elgin Granzow Greiner Hahn Gipp Hoffman Hanson Heaton Horbach Huseman Jacobs Jenkins Hutter Jones Klemme Kramer Kurtenbach Lalk Lukan Maddox Manternach Olson, S. Paulsen Raecker Rasmussen **Rayhons** Roberts Sands Schickel Tjepkes Struyk Tymeson Upmeyer Van Engelenhoven Van Fossen, J.K. Van Fossen, J.R. Watts Wilderdyke Mr. Speaker **Rants**

The nays were, 43:

Bell Bukta Cohoon Berry Connors Dandekar Davitt Fallon Ford Frevert Gaskill Greimann Heddens Hogg Hunter Huser Lykam Jochum Kuhn Lensing Mascher McCarthy Mertz Miller Murphy Myers Oldson Olson, D. Reasoner Osterhaus Petersen Quirk Smith Taylor, D. Shoultz Swaim Taylor, T. **Thomas** Wendt Whitaker Whitead Winckler Wise

Absent or not voting, 3:

Foege Hansen Stevens

The bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the House and the title was agreed to.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Leave of absence was granted as follows:

Stevens of Dickinson on request of Myers of Johnson.

IMMEDIATE MESSAGE

Jacobs of Polk asked and received unanimous consent that **House File 655** be immediately messaged to the Senate.

Regular Calendar

House File 633, a bill for an act relating to cemeteries and cemetery regulation; establishing requirements for interment rights agreements, reporting, and permits; establishing and appropriating fees; and providing administration and enforcement procedures and penalties, was taken up for consideration.

Raecker of Polk offered amendment H-1150 filed by him as follows:

H-1150

- Amend House File 633 as follows:
- 1. By striking page 4, line 35 through page 5,
- 3
- 4 2. Page 9, by striking lines 5 through 9.
- 3. Page 21, by striking lines 8 through 10 and
- 6 inserting the following:
- "4. The lawn crypt is capable of withstanding 7
- 4. Page 21, by striking lines 16 through 19 and 9
- 10 inserting the following:
- "6. The lawn crypt shall be installed in
- 12 compliance with any applicable law or rule adopted by
- 13 the department of public health."
- 5. Page 22, lines 9 and 10, by striking the words
- 15 "at least one and one-half feet below the surface of
- 16 the ground and be".
- 6. Page 22, by striking lines 17 through 20. 17
- 7. Page 28, by striking lines 3 through 29. 18
- 8. Page 40, by striking lines 30 through 32 and
- 20 inserting the following:
- "I hereby agree that any cemetery corporation that 21
- 22
- receives a copy of". 9. Page 42, line 27, by inserting before the word 23
- 24 "with" the following: "pursuant to a disinterment
- 25 permit as required under section 144.34,".
- 10. Page 43, line 28, by inserting after the word 26
- "corporation" the following: "after obtaining a
- 28 disinterment permit as required by section 144.34".
- 11. Page 44, by striking lines 5 through 8 and
- 30 inserting the following:

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31 "12. Relocations and disinterments of human
32 remains shall be done in compliance with sections
33 144.32 and 144.34."
34 12. By striking page 47, line 31 through page 49,
35 line 22.
36
    13. Page 96, by inserting after line 24 the
37 following:
    "Sec. NEW SECTION. 523I.1414 VIOLATIONS OF
38
39 LAW – REFERRALS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.
40 If the commissioner discovers a violation of a
41 provision of this chapter or any other state law or
42 rule concerning the disposal or transportation of
43 human remains, the commissioner shall forward all
44 evidence in the possession of the commissioner
45 concerning such a violation to the department of
46 public health for such proceedings as the department
47 of public health deems appropriate."
48 14. By renumbering as necessary.
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Raecker of Polk offered the following amendment H-1157, to amendment H-1150, filed by him from the floor and moved its adoption:

H-1157

- Amend the amendment, H-1150, to House File 633 as 2 follows:
- 1. Page 1, line 34, by striking the figure "31"
- 4 and inserting the following: "29".

Amendment H-1157 was adopted.

On motion by Raecker of Polk amendment H-1150, as amended, was adopted.

Raecker of Polk moved that the bill be read a last time now and placed upon its passage which motion prevailed and the bill was read a last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" (H.F. 633)

The ayes were, 96:

Alons	Arnold	Baudler	Bell
Berry	Boal	Boddicker	Boggess
Bukta	Carroll	Chambers	Cohoon
Connors	Dandekar	Davitt	De Boef
Dennis	Dix	Dolecheck	Eichhorn

Fallon Ford Elgin Freeman Frevert Gaskill Gipp Granzow Greiner Greimann Hahn Hanson Heaton Heddens Hoffman Hogg Horbach Hunter Huseman Huser Hutter Jacobs **Jenkins** Jochum Klemme Kramer Kuhn Jones Kurtenbach Lalk Lukan Lensing Lykam Maddox Manternach Mascher McCarthy Mertz Miller Murphy Olson, D. Myers Oldson Olson, S. Osterhaus Quirk Paulsen Petersen Raecker Rasmussen Rayhons Reasoner **Roberts** Sands Schickel Shoultz Taylor, D. Smith Struyk **Swaim** Taylor, T. **Thomas Tjepkes Tymeson** Van Fossen, J.K. Van Fossen, J.R. Van Engelenhoven Upmeyer Watts Wendt Whitaker Whitead Mr. Speaker Wilderdyke Winckler Wise Rants

The nays were, none.

Absent or not voting, 4:

Drake Foege Hansen Stevens

The bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the House and the title was agreed to.

<u>House File 480</u>, a bill for an act relating to the shelter assistance fund, was taken up for consideration.

Swaim of Davis moved that the bill be read a last time now and placed upon its passage which motion prevailed and the bill was read a last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" (H.F. 480)

The ayes were, 96:

Baudler Bell Alons Arnold Berry Boal **Boddicker** Boggess **Bukta** Carroll Chambers Cohoon Davitt De Boef Dandekar Connors Dennis Dix Dolecheck Eichhorn Elgin Fallon Ford Freeman Frevert Gaskill Gipp Granzow Greimann Greiner Hahn Hanson

Heddens Heaton Hoffman Hogg Horbach Hunter Huseman Huser Jacobs Hutter Jenkins Jochum Klemme Kramer Kuhn Jones Kurtenbach Lalk Lensing Lukan Manternach Maddox Mascher Lykam McCarthy Mertz Miller Murphy Olson, D. Olson, S. Myers Oldson Osterhaus Paulsen Petersen Quirk Raecker Rasmussen Rayhons Reasoner **Roberts** Sands Schickel Shoultz Smith Struyk Swaim Taylor, D. Taylor, T. **Thomas Tjepkes** Tymeson Upmeyer Van Engelenhoven Van Fossen, J.K. Van Fossen, J.R. Whitaker Whitead Watts Wendt Wilderdyke Winckler Wise Mr. Speaker Rants

The nays were, none.

Absent or not voting, 4:

Drake Foege Hansen Stevens

The bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the House and the title was agreed to.

<u>House File 397</u>, a bill for an act relating to community development block grants to the department of economic development and including effective and retroactive applicability dates, was taken up for consideration.

Lukan of Dubuque moved that the bill be read a last time now and placed upon its passage which motion prevailed and the bill was read a last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" (H.F. 397)

The ayes were, 96:

Arnold Baudler Bell Alons Boal Boddicker Boggess Berry Bukta Carroll Chambers Cohoon Connors Dandekar Davitt De Boef Dennis Dix Dolecheck Eichhorn Elgin Fallon Ford Freeman Gaskill Frevert Gipp Granzow Greimann Greiner Hahn Hanson Heaton Heddens Hoffman Hogg Horbach Hunter Huseman Huser Hutter Jacobs **Jenkins** Jochum Jones Klemme Kramer Kuhn Lensing Kurtenbach Lalk Lukan Lykam Maddox Manternach Mascher McCarthy Miller Mertz Murphy Myers Oldson Olson, D. Olson, S. Osterhaus Paulsen Petersen Quirk Rayhons Raecker Rasmussen Reasoner Schickel **Roberts** Sands Shoultz Smith Struyk Swaim Taylor, D. Taylor, T. **Thomas Tjepkes Tymeson** Van Fossen, J.K. Van Fossen, J.R. Upmeyer Van Engelenhoven Watts Wendt Whitaker Whitead Wilderdyke Winckler Wise Mr. Speaker Rants

The nays were, none.

Absent or not voting, 4:

Drake Foege Hansen Stevens

The bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the House and the title was agreed to.

IMMEDIATE MESSAGES

Jacobs of Polk asked and received unanimous consent that the following bills be immediately messaged to the Senate: **House Files 397, 480** and **633.**

HOUSE FILE 609 REFERRED

The Speaker announced that <u>House File 609</u>, previously placed on the **calendar** was referred to committee on **government oversight.**

HOUSE FILE 643 REFERRED

The Speaker announced that <u>House File 643</u>, previously placed on the **calendar** was referred to committee on **appropriations**.

EXPLANATIONS OF VOTE

I was necessarily absent from the House chamber on March 25, 2003. Had I been present, I would have voted "aye" on House Files 397 and 480.

DRAKE of Pottawattamie

I was necessarily absent from the House chamber on March 25, 2003. Had I been present, I would have voted "nay" on House File 614.

HUSER of Polk

I was necessarily absent from the House chamber on March 20, 2003. Had I been present, I would have voted "aye" on House Files 450, 504, 534, 545, 557, 565, 585, 592, 601, 603, 604 and <u>Senate File 424</u>.

MADDOX of Polk

I was necessarily absent from the House chamber on March 24, 2003. Had I been present, I would have voted "aye" on House Files 505, 509, 516, 561, 615, 623, 624, 636 and Senate Files 224, 357 and 376. I would have voted "nay" on House Files 575 and 584.

WISE of Lee

BILLS SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR

A communication was received from the Governor announcing that on March 24, 2003, he approved and transmitted to the Secretary of State the following bills:

<u>House File 311</u>, an act modifying the duties of county recorders.

<u>House File 343</u>, an act relating to enforcement of motor vehicle law provisions and making penalties applicable.

PRESENTATIONS OF VISITORS

The Speaker announced that the following visitors were present in the House chamber:

Eighty students from Stanton High School, Stanton, Iowa. By Dolecheck of Ringgold.

Eighth grade students from Dallas Center-Grimes Schools, Grimes, Iowa. By Kramer of Polk and Watts of Dallas.

Twenty-one students from South Page Schools, College Springs, Iowa, accompanied by Cheyenne McCain. By Boggess of Page.

CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION

MR. SPEAKER: The Chief Clerk of the House respectfully reports that certificates of recognition have been issued as follows.

MARGARET A. THOMSON Chief Clerk of the House

2003\929	Robert and Pauline Falcon, Marion – For celebrating their $55^{\rm th}$ wedding anniversary.
2003\930	William and Helen Sheston, Dubuque – For celebrating their $50^{\rm th}$ wedding anniversary.
2003\931	Florence Truis Turner, Albia – For celebrating her $90^{\rm th}$ birthday.
2003\932	Red Jackson, Clear Lake – For celebrating his 80^{th} birthday.
2003\933	Ivadell and John Abele, Garner – For celebrating their $60^{\rm th}$ wedding anniversary.
2003\934	Allen and Arlene Peterson, Ventura – For celebrating their $60^{\rm th}$ wedding anniversary.
2003\935	Irene Matthews, Sheffield – For celebrating her $80^{\rm th}$ birthday.
2003\936	Ellen Skeries, Hampton – For celebrating her 80^{th} birthday.
2003\937	Edward R. Prause, Hampton – For celebrating his 80^{th} birthday.
2003\938	Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fulton, Carson – For celebrating their $50^{\rm th}$ wedding anniversary.

2003\939	$\label{lem:continuous} Arlyn\ Danker,\ Minden\ -\ For\ his\ many\ years\ of\ dedicated\ service\ to$ the Hungry Canyons Alliance.
2003\940	Southeastern Community College, West Burlington – For winning the 2003 NJCAA championship.
2003\941	Benjamin Nicholas Wearin, Red Oak – For attaining the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest rank in the Boy Scouts of America.
2003\942	Hilma Mae and Don McKinney, Newton – For celebrating their $50^{\rm th}$ wedding anniversary.
2003\943	Marty and Dale Finestead, Granger – For celebrating their $53^{\rm rd}$ wedding anniversary.
2003\944	Alma Prouty, Van Meter – For celebrating her 85th birthday.
2003\945	William Gruhn, Hartley – For celebrating his $90^{\rm th}$ birthday.
2003\946	Elsin and Emory Petersen, Hartley – For celebrating their $50^{\rm th}$ wedding anniversary.
2003\947	Jessica Hanrahan, De Witt – For celebrating her 85th birthday.
2003\948	Gayle and Robert Britske, Waterloo – For celebrating their $50^{\rm th}$ wedding anniversary.
2003\949	Murle Dietz, Waterloo – For celebrating his 90th birthday.
2003\950	Louise Dietz, Waterloo – For celebrating her $85^{\rm th}$ birthday.
2003\951	Clair and Verlee Hein, Waterloo – For celebrating their $50^{\rm th}$ wedding anniversary.
2003\952	Howard Henderson, Waterloo – For celebrating his 80^{th} birthday.
2003\953	$\label{eq:Louise Huff, Waterloo} \textbf{-} \textbf{For celebrating her 90}^{th} \textbf{ birthday}.$
2003\954	Wayne Goodrich, Waterloo – For celebrating his 90^{th} birthday.
2003\955	Helen Goodrich, Waterloo – For celebrating her $85^{\rm th}$ birthday.
2003\956	Laverne Krisek, Waterloo – For celebrating his $80^{\rm th}$ birthday.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Senate File 275

Ways and Means: Paulsen, Chair; Kurtenbach and Shoultz.

Senate File 297

Natural Resources: Lukan, Chair; Bell and Freeman.

Senate File 361

Judiciary: Maddox, Chair; Foege and Heaton.

HOUSE STUDY BILL COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

H.S.B. 300 Government Oversight

Relating to concrete mixtures used for paving highways and including an applicability provision.

H.S.B. 301 Appropriations

Relating to the revenue estimating conference's responsibilities and authority.

H.S.B. 302 Ways and Means

Repealing the state guarantee to fully fund certain property tax credits or exemptions and providing an effective date.

H.S.B. 303 Ways and Means

Establishing a commission on state and local taxation.

H.S.B. 304 Ways and Means

Relating to the state's portion of real estate transfer tax that is required to be deposited in the shelter assistance fund.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

MR. SPEAKER: The Chief Clerk of the House respectfully reports that the following committee recommendation has been received and is on file in the office of the Chief Clerk.

MARGARET A. THOMSON Chief Clerk of the House

COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT

Committee Bill (Formerly <u>House Study Bill 296</u>), relating to government efficiency by providing for the establishment of common state services regional boundaries, and providing an effective date.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended Amend and Do Pass March 25, 2003.

RESOLUTIONS FILED

HCR 19, by Bell, Gipp and Eichhorn, a concurrent resolution urging congressional adoption of a free trade agreement between Taiwan and the United States.

Laid over under Rule 25.

HR 41, by Paulsen, a resolution honoring the town of Troy Mills on its sesquicentennial year.

Laid over under Rule 25.

HR 42, by Mertz, Bell and Frevert, a resolution honoring the City of Whittemore on its quasquicentennial year.

Laid over under Rule 25.

AMENDMENTS FILED

<u>H-1152</u>	<u>H.F.</u>	<u>556</u>	Hogg of Linn
H-1153	<u>H.F.</u>	637	McCarthy of Polk
<u>H-1155</u>	H.F.	643	Eichhorn of Hamilton
			Swaim of Davis
<u>H-1156</u>	<u>S.F.</u>	94	Fallon of Polk
<u>H-1159</u>	<u>H.F.</u>	647	Petersen of Polk
<u>H-1160</u>	<u>H.F.</u>	611	Kuhn of Floyd
			Whitaker of Van Buren
<u>H-1161</u>	H.F.	647	Petersen of Polk
<u>H-1162</u>	<u>H.F.</u>	587	Swaim of Davis
<u>H-1163</u>	<u>H.F.</u>	644	Alons of Sioux
			Whitaker of Van Buren
<u>H-1164</u>	<u>S.F.</u>	390	Hogg of Linn
<u>H-1165</u>	<u>S.F.</u>	390	Hogg of Linn
<u>H-1166</u>	<u>S.F.</u>	390	Hogg of Linn
<u>H-1167</u>	<u>S.F.</u>	<u>390</u>	Hogg of Linn

On motion by Jacobs of Polk the House adjourned at 4:33 p.m., until 8:45 a.m., Wednesday, March 26, 2003.